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Main Entry: **dur·ing**

Pronunciation: 'dur-i[ng] also 'dyur-

Function: *preposition*

Etymology: Middle English, from present participle of *duren* to last, from Old French *durer*, from Latin *durare* to harden, endure, from *durus* hard; perhaps akin to Sanskrit *dAru* wood -- more at [TREE](#)

1 : throughout the duration of <swims every day *during* the summer>

2 : at a point in the course of <was offered a job *during* a visit to the capital>

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